

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CRIMINAL NO. 14-163

VERSUS

SECTION "N"

RYAN MANNING

FACTUAL BASIS

The above-named defendant, Ryan MANNING, has agreed to plead guilty pursuant to a plea agreement with the Government to Count 1 of the Bill of Information. Should this matter have proceeded to trial, the United States of America would have proven beyond a reasonable doubt, the following facts to support the allegations against the defendant, Ryan MANNING (hereafter referred to as MANNING):

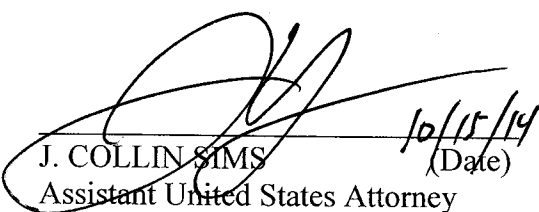
Count 1- Drug Trafficking Conspiracy


Beginning on a date unknown, but not later than May 16, 2012, and continuing until on or about April 1, 2013, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, and elsewhere, the defendants, RYAN DAVIN MANNING, DANIEL LEVI MORRIS and others conspired with each other to distribute and to possess with the intent to distribute one hundred (100) grams or more of a mixture or substance containing a detectable amount of heroin.

During the course of the conspiracy charged, MORRIS and MANNING were street level distributors of heroin. MORRIS and MANNING communicated via cell phone to coordinate

the purchase and distribution of heroin in the greater New Orleans area. As a result of the direct involvement of MORRIS and MANNING and the reasonably foreseeable conduct of their co-conspirators in furtherance Count 1, MORRIS and MANNING's relevant conduct, for purposes of sentencing, is more than one hundred (100) grams of heroin, but less than four hundred (400) grams of heroin.

MORRIS and MANNING's involvement in the conspiracy charged in Count One of the Bill of Information is not limited to the facts contained in this stipulated factual basis. These facts are merely a summary of MORRIS and MANNING's involvement in this conspiracy and are presented in this document to support MORRIS and MANNING's plea of guilty to Count One the Bill of Information.


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